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Serial No.:	10/089,932	Art Unit:	1657
371(c) Date:	July 29, 2002	Examiner:	Amanda P. Wood
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Title:	IN VIVO ASSAY AND MOLECULAR MARKERS FOR TESTING THE PHENOTYPIC STABILITY OF CELL POPULATIONS AND SELECTED CELL POPULATIONS FOR AUTOLOGOUS TRANSPLANTATION		

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Applicants hereby request continued examination of the above-captioned application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. The application is a non-provisional application that was filed on or after June 8, 1995.

This request is being submitted after the mailing of a final Office Action. Applicants request entry of the reply to final Office Action filed on June 21, 2007. A copy of the reply is attached.

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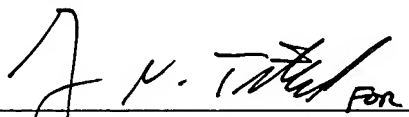
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Also enclosed is a Petition to extend the period for replying to the final Office Action for three (3) months, to and including October 19, 2007, and a check in payment of the required extension fee.

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Respectfully submitted,

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